Foreign Investment in Madhya Pradesh

1612. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR :
SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE :
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA :
SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU :

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the State of Madhya Pradesh has emerged among the top four States in the country to have attracted massive foreign and NRI investments following the Liberalisation of economy since July, 1991;

(b) If so, the volume of foreign and NRI investments attracted by the States of Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and other States and Union Territories so far; and

(c) What steps have been taken by the Central and the State Governments to attract such investment ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED) : (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the house.

Complaints against management of Andhra Bank

1613. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether there are any complaints from any of the directors of Andhra Bank against the management; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and what steps have been taken in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED) : (a) and (b) The workman director of Andhra Bank had made a complaint that the management of the bank had pressurised auditors of the bank in regard to provisions for bad and doubtful debts while finalising accounts for the year 1991-92. The feed-back received from the Government and Reserve Bank of India directors did not substantiate this allegation.

Negotiations with Employees by Management of Hadoti Gramin Bank in Kota

1614. SHRI ASHIS SEN : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the managemet of Hadoti Gramin Bank in Kota (Rajasthan) had been conducting negotiations/discussions with the Employees Association till June, 1992 to sort out and settle Industrial Relation problems of the Bank;

(b) whether such negotiations/discussions have since been stopped although the Employees Association represents overwhelming majority of the employees;

(c) whether the Central Government have advised the Bank's management to stop such negotiations/discussions; and

(d) if so, what are the reasons and circumstances thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) has reported that there are three different unrecognised Unions Associations of the employees in the bank and the management has not stopped negotiations with the said un-recognised Unions/Associations.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

भारतीय रिजर्व बैंक में विशेषज्ञों का बोर्ड

1615. **श्री सोमपाल :** क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि रिजर्व बैंक की निरीक्षण प्रणाली की खामियों को दूर करने के उद्देश्य से विशेषज्ञों का बोर्ड गठित किए जाने का प्रस्ताव सरकार के विचाराधीन है ;